

House Resolution No. 281

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives take tremendous pleasure in recognizing those Show-Me State community projects which enhance the positive aspects of local towns and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, The Crestwood Aquatic Center at Whitecliff Park enjoys distinction as the recipient of the Crestwood-Sunset Hills Area Chamber of Commerce 2002 Community Improvement Award; and

Whereas, opened in 1975 as a traditional city pool, The Crestwood Aquatic Center at Whitecliff Park was transformed into a ten-lane, 25-yard by 25-meter, multi-purpose lap pool with two diving boards, a lazy river, zero depth beach area, lily pad challenge area, big slide, and a family play pool with three slides and other features through funding provided by a half-cent park and storm water sales tax passed by the City in August 2000; and

Whereas, The Crestwood Aquatic Center at Whitecliff Park opened on Thursday, July 4, 2002, followed by an official ribbon cutting by Mayor Jim Robertson and the Board of Aldermen two days later on July 6, 2002; and

Whereas, The Crestwood Aquatic Center at Whitecliff Park is part of a master plan completed by SWT Associates in 1999 that includes improvements to all seven of the Crestwood parks, including a new parking lot at the Aquatic Center, a pavilion overlooking the facility, four lighted tennis courts, a multi-purpose court for outdoor basketball and hockey, a tennis pavilion, a playground with poured-in-place safety surfacing, and landscaping; and

Whereas, The Crestwood Aquatic Center at Whitecliff Park will receive its 2002 Community Improvement Award at a special luncheon on Tuesday, February 18, 2003, at the Holiday Inn Southwest-The Viking Conference Center:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of The Crestwood Aquatic Center at Whitecliff Park for the 2002 Community Improvement Award by the Crestwood-Sunset Hills Area Chamber of Commerce and to convey to all of those involved in its operation this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes for continued success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of The Crestwood Aquatic Center at Whitecliff Park.

Offered by _____
 Representative Jim Avery
 District No. 95

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 281, adopted February 4, 2003.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker